

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Date:	19 April 2012
Title:	Shared Services Update
Reference:	3397
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision: (PROPOSED)

1.1. To consider the following recommendations reported to the Buildings, Land and Procurement Panel on 13 March 2012:

- a) In respect of Property Services (Section 2);
 - I. The proposals to finalise the Regional Partnership for Property Services (Cluster) and the establishment of the joint working agreements of the Programme Office be endorsed.
 - II. Progress with other Property Services shared service arrangement be noted.
- b) In respect of Business Services - Partnership working between Hampshire Scientific Services and Hampshire Constabulary Scientific Services –(Section 3);
 - I. Progress with the work being undertaken to establish a shared forensic science service be noted.
- c) In respect of Culture and Heritage - Countryside Services (Section 4);
 - I. Progress with Countryside Service shared service arrangement be noted.
- d) In respect of IT (Section 5);
 - I. Progress with IT shared service initiatives be noted.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1. The shared services arrangements do not link directly to the Corporate Priorities, but require a decision to enable the works to progress for each collaboration.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. The need for the works has been identified as a priority and the proposals set out in the report to the BLAPP meeting of 13 March are considered to be the most appropriate and cost-effective way of meeting that need.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:
None

5. Dispensation granted by the Standards Committee: None

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not applicable

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

19 April 2012

**Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Councillor T. K. Thornber, CBE**